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SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL: HOG CASINGS

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1. US HAS NOT HAD A CASE OF HOG CHOLERA IN OVER THIRTEEN MONTHS, AND ON SEPTEMBER 13, 1977 WE DECLARED OURSELVES FREE OF HOG CHOLERA. AS EVIDENCE OF THE INTERNATIONAL ACCEPTANCE OF THIS DETERMINATION, THE UNITED KINGDOM, WHICH HAS ONE OF THE STRICTEST QUARANTINE SYSTEMS, HAS BEEN ACCEPTING PORK PRODUCTS FROM THE UNITED STATES SINCE SEPTEMBER 13.

2. BASED ON THE ABOVE, EMBASSY SHOULD MAKE APPROPRIATE REPRESENTATIONS TO THE PNG IN ORDER TO REMOVE THE UNITED STATES FROM THE PROHIBITIONS OF THE QUARANTINE LAW ON PORK IMPORTS. WHILE WE RECOGNIZE THAT CERTAIN SUCH RESTRICTIONS ARE NECESSARY FROM TIME TO TIME, WE BELIEVE THAT SUCH RESTRICTIONS SHOULD BE REMOVED PRIMPPLY ONCE THE PROBLEM IS UNCLASSIFIED

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RESOLVED. OTHERWISE THEY BECOME AN UNACCEPTABLE NON-TARIFF TRADE BARRIER.

3. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO REPORT ON ACTION TAKEN AND REACTION OF GOVERNMENT SO THAT WE CAN INFORM INTERESTED CONGRESSMAN. CHRISTOPHER

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